

CARBOHYDRATE/CADROIT Contact Report

20 Oct 1955

Date, Time, and Place of Meeting: 15 Oct 1955, 1700-1800, CARBOHYDRATE's Apt.

Present: a. CARBOHYDRATE b. [ ]

1. This was a specially called meeting, the chief purpose of which was to lay on special security precautions to protect the CADROIT MA true name files over the week end (the meeting took place on a Saturday). CARBOHYDRATE was informed to this effect, and the following procedures were laid on:

a. HEWARD would arrange with the Pfoertner that the latter would telephone CARBOHYDRATE the identity of any person entering the building after working hours. CARBOHYDRATE was to inform [ ] immediately of any such calls. CARBO was not to inform LADELL or any other staffers of this procedure, however. CARBO would stay in his apartment during all non-working hours, except when making special unannounced checks of the building, as noted below. He would receive increased gasoline allowance for any trips required.

b. CARBO will check the building between 1700 and 0100 without prior notice, and will inform [ ] soonest of any suspicious indications found.

c. CARBO will look into the possibilities of using some variation of the old hotel trick on the door leading to room # 14 where the true name files are kept to indicate whether the door has been opened during the night. A toothpick inserted between the edge of the door and the jamb which would fall if the door were opened, a hair laid against the bottom of the door, etc. No one else to know of this procedure, of course.

2. [ ] noted plans to secure a round the clock guard to watch the door to room # 14 constantly after working hours. CARBO would not be pinned down to his apt indefinitely, therefore.

3. Discussed the action taken to warn the persons on the list of 73 visitors in SFS hands. Of 73, 8 have fled. Of the remaining 65, 41 are screened out as

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"not very endangered" for one or more of the following reasons: visitor was very old, made only one visit, requested advice on a pure legal question only, gave no info to CADROIT on his visit, ~~and~~ requested info on refugee proceedings only, and/or the name of the visitor was written so incorrectly on the SFS list that he could not be identified. The remaining 24 visitors had been warned (20 by mail, 3 ~~telephonix~~ through W. Berlin friends or relatives, and 1 through a warning inserted in the visitors letter box by a special courier).

4. Discussed the Spaedienst arrangements again (the person having Spaedienst would have an opportunity to try to get into sensitive information). The persons having this duty from 1700-1930 (chiefly to cover the telephone or receive any stray visitors) are: Ohlsen, Pesch, Heyman, Wolff, and Schadow. The latter has it every other day. He volunteered for the duty in order to get the increased emolument which goes with it, apparently.

5. CARBO noted that one of the visitors whose names appeared upon the SFS list had reported being recruited under duress by the SFS in July 55. During the recruitment the SFS officer had not blankly charged that the visitor had visited CADROIT on such and such a date, etc., but had ~~misshand~~ hinted and questioned a number of times in a polite, wheedling manner whether or not the visitor had not visited CADROIT at some time.

6. Discussed when Karl Schulz had replaced the sick Schadow and had thereby gained access to Besucherzettel. C stated Schadow had been ~~misshand~~ replaced by Schulz from July 1954 to the middle of August, from 6 Dec 1955 to the middle of February, for two weeks in April. With few or no exceptions, Schulz was not in the building after April. He was certainly not in the house after he received official prohibition in June 1955.

7. Discussed which of the staffers usually or often worked late. The following quite often stay after ~~misshand~~ close of office hours (1700): Teupits, Wels, Hansen, Olbrich. LADELL does not stay after hours, but usually leaves promptly at 1700.

8. CARBO stated the following know of the arrest of LADELL: Froelich, HENARD, Fran von Ro., ~~Minister~~ Riebel, Leutwein, CARBO, and LADELL, of course. Pesch does now know.

9. The persons listed above know of the Schulz case and the SIC possession of a list of visitors, as well as Ohlsen and Pesch.

10. [ ] did not discuss the LADELL ~~case~~ arrest, other than noted above.

—NEXT MEETING: As earlier noted, meetings with CARBO had earlier been cut to once every other week, per discussion with SCHUPPIN. The next regular meeting is thus on 19 October, 1930, same place.